FINANCE COMMITTEE

11-063-0

ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE DETERMINING THE SUM TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION FOR THE SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICT, DULUTH TRANSIT AUTHORITY, FOR THE YEAR 2012.

CITY PROPOSAL:

The city of Duluth does ordain:

Section 1. The sum to be raised by taxation for the year 2012 for Duluth Transit Authority taxing district's operations is hereby determined to be the sum of \$1,316,900 which sum is levied against the taxable property of the city of Duluth and appropriated to the various accounts as set forth in the following sections, viz:

Section 2. That pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 458A.31, Subd.1, there will be levied for transit operations the sum of \$1,316,900.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect January 1, 2012.

Approved:

Department Director

Approved as to form:

Attorney

BUDGET AH:PS:rb

11/22/2011

Approved for presentation to council:

Office

Chief Administrative

Approved:

Auditor

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This ordinance sets the proposed property tax levy for the year 2012 for the special taxing district, Duluth Transit Authority (DTA). Although the transit authority is a special taxing district per Minnesota Statute 275.066, the city is obligated through council action to levy on their behalf.

The DTA, in reviewing their needs for 2012 is opting not to request the full levy available by Minnesota Statute 485A.31. Instead, the DTA is requesting \$1,316,900 for the eighth consecutive year.